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VOTE YES ON 1D

HOW CAN WE AFFORD NOT TO INVEST IN OUR SCHOOLS?

Few things are more important for our children and our economy than to invest in

education.

1D is the right solution to make our schools earthquake safe and build more classrooms

to relieve overcrowding for our children. It will also help our state economy grow. It

doesn't bite off more than we can afford to do right now, and it allows planning for the

future that is vitally important.

1D will provide real results for our kids.

Our community colleges also give a rapidly growing student population the skills they

need to succeed in the workforce. We cannot afford to shortchange them - California's

future depends on their success.

That's why 1D has gained the support from parents, teachers, seniors, business and

taxpayer groups, and a bipartisan group of the Legislature.

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The California Taxpayers' Association says, "Proposition 1D is a fiscally responsible way to finance school repair and construction."

Prop 1D invests in:

- Construction of approximately 6,500 new K-12 classrooms and 3,000 community college classrooms
- Repair of 31,000 classrooms
- Building science, engineering labs and classrooms
- Providing 3,000 vocational education facilities.

Vote Yes on 1D. Invest in our children's future by investing in our schools today. A bright, highly-skilled student population makes California a stronger, better place to live for all of us.

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